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1. At the suggestion of the Alianza Nacional de Fuerzas Democraticas, a commission was appointed composed of one republican and one monarchist, who have drawn up an eight-point program to serve as the basis of agreement between the ANFD and the monarchists for the formation of a provisional government. Actually, the parties and workers' organizations which compose the ANFD have not yet approved the points of the program, but they are studying the proposals and the informant thought that their attitude would be favorable. The desire to resolve any point that might cause friction between the right and the left has resulted in the adoption of brief and laconic wording. The points mentioned below are the ones that the informant was able to recall specifically.
2. The first point concerns freedom of assembly, freedom of ideas and freedom of expression. This point includes the principle that the adherence to any particular religious creed shall not be a bar to the enjoyment of rights generally conceded to all Spaniards.
3. Another point has to do with the revision of the framework of justice set up by Franco's regime, including revision of the laws passed in the period involved and re-examination of the decisions handed down by the highest courts and the principal lower courts. Also involved in this point is the proposal that those who are responsible for the abuses of the Franco regime should be held answerable for them. According to the informant, the members of the commission have had the most difficulty, and have experienced the greatest delay, in reaching agreement on this point.
4. Another point provides for the restoration to their posts of all civil servants who were expelled because of their political ideas and as a consequence of the military trials held after the Civil War.
5. Another provision stipulates that the trade-union organizations will not resort to violent means to obtain their ends during the term of the provisional government but will submit their grievances to arbitration tribunals to be provided for the settlement of labor disputes.

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6. The question of regional autonomy has not been touched upon in the proposed program.
7. The informant said that General Juan Beigbeder y Atienza had acted as monarchist representative in negotiating with the ANPD until his authority had been withdrawn by Don Juan.\*

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Comment: The following information of early to mid-March from Madrid may be of interest in connection with paragraph 7. Reportedly, Beigbeder told an Izquierda Republicana leader that all conferences between monarchist military men and leftist representatives would have to be cancelled, since an order had been received from Lisbon forbidding military men to act as spokesmen for the monarchists. A leader of the Alianza Republicana with good monarchist contacts said that the order applied specifically to Beigbeder and to General Antonio Aranda Mata. The second informant added that Aranda had written to the Pretender lamenting the issuance of the order and saying that he was sure that it had been given on the receipt of erroneous information from Gil Robles.

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